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Population characteristics of rural youth (persons under 25 years of age) living in the Southwestern States of Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico, and Texas are presented. Data were collected from the 1970 U.S. Census of Population Final Reports for the individual States. This report is organized into two sections: (1) the analytical text and (2) tabular data by State. The analytical text discusses the youth of the Southwestern region; the rural population; the rural youth of the five Southwestern States; the general distribution of the rural Spanish heritage youth by State; and the distribution of rural Native American youth. The tabular section consists of numerical data regarding rural youth by State, sex, racial or ethnic categories, and age groups. Some findings are: (1) rural youth represent 14.1 percent of all persons under 25 in the Southwest; (2) rural Spanish heritage persons tend to be generally younger than other groups; and (3) in New Mexico rural Spanish heritage youth represent over 50 percent of all rural youth. Definitions of technical terms used are provided in the appendix. (NQ)

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PREFACE

This report has been prepared in response to the needs expressed by a number of persons in several states. One major concern was that the rural population of ages appropriate for educational programs was not well known, and that the differences between rural youth and youth "in general" were less than clear.

This report is the second of a series which will include separate bulletins for each region and national summary.[1/] It was supported by Prairie View A&M University from funds provided by the United States Department of Agriculture under authority of PL 89-106; under project No. 216-15-58, "Change in Nature, Composition, and Socio-Economic Conditions of Black Families." Dr. W. P. Kuvlesky directs this project.

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1/ Other bulletins: Rural Youth in the South, already available; and forthcoming, Rural Youth in the United States: A Regional Comparison.

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INTRODUCTION

Knowledge of the population characteristics of rural youth in the Southwestern states[2] -- sometimes referred to as "the Southwest"-- is necessarily required in order to locate these persons and deal with the issues related to their education, migration, employment, voting behavior and general life style. One essential step in the direction of attaining such knowledge is the compilation of available information from the various sources containing it, such as the census reports prepared for the individual states.

This report represents an effort to bring together such scattered information regarding the rural youth of the Southwestern states, and to offer a packet of data ready for the use of potential consumers -- educators, policy makers, researchers and others.

By means of presenting a handy source of data relative to the age structure and ethnic and geographical distribution of rural persons under 25 years of age in five southwestern states, this effort aims to answer some of the demand for such relevant information existing throughout the region.

All data have been extracted from reports of the 1970 U.S. Census of Population.[3]

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[2] The "Southwestern states" are defined as the five states of Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas because the U.S. Bureau of the Census adopted a special definition of the "Spanish heritage" population that is used only in these five states. This is the largest area with the same basis of identifying this major ethnic group, variously known as Chicano, Mexican American or Spanish American.

[3] Sources, unless otherwise specified, are the final reports of the 1970 Census of Population. U.S. Bureau of the Census, U.S. Census of Population: 1970. General Social and Economic Characteristics. Final Report PC(1)-C [United States Summary, and each state]. (Washington: Government Printing Office, 1971 and 1972).

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OBJECTIVE, CONTENT AND ORGANIZATION

The principal objective of this report is to present selected data on certain population characteristics of persons under 25 years of age living in the rural areas[4/] of five Southwestern states -- Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas. For the purpose of the report, these persons will be referred to as the "rural youth" of these states. Among these youth, some were born during the decade of relatively high birth rates which followed the end of World War II, and others may reflect more recent changes in the characteristics of the population in the Southwestern region.

The data presented here deal specifically with the distribution of rural youth by state, the various age groups by sex, and their racial composition. Some specific information is provided regarding rural youth of "Spanish Heritage"[5/] in the Southwest, a sizeable component of the population in this specific region; and regarding rural "Native American"[6/] youth in these states, who constitute a substantial proportion of the national Native American youth.

The data presented here have been extracted from the 1970 U.S. Census of Population reports. Compact tables were prepared from information contained in the Final Reports for the individual states (See References). Comparative figures were extracted from the tables of absolute numbers and reported here.

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[4] See Appendix for definition of rurality.

[5] See Appendix for definition of "Spanish Heritage."

[6] See Appendix for definition of "Native American."

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The report is organized into two basic sections. The first of these contains the analytical text, and the second section presents detailed tables of information by state. The analytical text concerns itself with (a) a brief treatment of the youth of the Southwest, (b) a brief statement on the rural population of this region, (c) the rural youth -- persons under 25 years of age -- of the five Southwestern states, (d) some information regarding the rural Spanish Heritage youth of the region, which makes up a substantial proportion of all Southwestern youth and (e) a short review of available information regarding the distribution of rural Native American youth in the area. The tabular section assembles numerical data regarding rural youth by state, sex, racial or ethnic categories, and age groups. This tabular section comprises the detailed data packet which is fundamental to the objective of the report.

An appendix provides the definitions of technical terms used throughout the report.

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ANALYTICAL TEXT

The following pages contain the analytical text of this report, organized into (A) a statement on the youth of the Southwestern region, (B) a short treatment of the rural population, (C) the rural youth proper - persons under 25 years of age - (D) some information on the general distribution of the rural Spanish heritage youth by state, and (E) the rural Native American youth of the Southwest. Tables are inserted to document the textual information. Part F summarizes the findings reported here.

A. THE YOUTH OF THE SOUTHWEST

In 1970 there were more than 16.9 million persons under 25 years of age in the Southwest. This total number represents almost half - 46.8 percent - of the overall population of the region (See Tables A-1, A-2). Of all youth under 25, 87.6 percent were classified as "White"; 8.9 percent as "Black", and over a fifth of them were included in the "Spanish heritage" category: 21.2 percent.

Of the entire White population of the five Southwestern states, 46.0 percent is reported to be under 25 years of age. For the Black group, the corresponding proportion is slightly higher: 51.7 percent, whereas for the Spanish heritage population, the figure rises to 57.9 percent, almost three-fifths of the total (See Table A-3).

A subdivision of these groups of youth by more specific age levels reveals variations in the proportions of persons in each level by ethnic or racial background. In general, there tends to be a higher proportion of the total in each age level <u>within</u> the Spanish heritage population. There

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is also evidence of differences in these proportions by sex within each group (See Table A-3).

B. THE RURAL POPULATION OF THE SOUTHWEST

The aggregate rural population of the five Southwestern states represented a total of 5,226,188 persons in 1970. This figure corresponds to almost a sixth of all persons in the region, and it represents 9.7 percent of all rural persons in the United States.

Of all rural persons in the Southwest, 91.0 percent were categorized as "White," indicating slightly over 4.7 million persons, 5.2 percent were classified as "Black," and 16.5 percent were included in the "Spanish heritage" category (See Tables B-1 and B-2). For information on the Native American sector, see Tables VIII and XI.

The geographic distribution of the aggregate rural population of the Southwest, by state, reveals the following features: 43.4 percent of the total, or 2.26 million persons, resided in Texas in 1970; 34.8 percent - 1.8 million persons - resided in rural California. These two segments combined made up nearly four-fifths of the total rural population of the region - 78.2 percent (See Tables B-1 and C-1 to C-18). The remaining persons were distributed thus: New Mexico, 5.8 percent of the total; Colorado, 9.0 percent; and Arizona, 6.9 percent (See Table I).

There are noticeable variations in the proportion of persons included in each age level by state, when further subdivisions are made within the various rural groups. Also, there are variations according to sex differences (See Table B-3). For detailed presentations of variations by age and sex and state, see the profiles shown in Figures B-1, B-2, B-3, B-4, B-5, B-6.

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Table I. The Rural Population of the Southwest: Numbers and Proportions, by State.*

State	Rural Population	Percentage of Total
Arizona	362,819	6.94
California	1,819,999	34.82
Colorado	471,177	9.01
New Mexico	305,295	5.84
Texas	2,266,898	43.37
Total	5,226,188	100.00

*Includes Farm and Non-farm populations. See Appendix for definition of "rurality." Source: U.S. Bureau of Census; Census of Population: 1970 General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)C-1 United States Summary; p. 1-359. Based on a 20% sample tabulation.

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C. THE RURAL YOUTH OF THE SOUTHWEST

Almost a half of the total rural population of the Southwest was reported to be under 25 years of age in 1970: 45.8 percent, or 2.39 million persons. These youth represent 14.1 percent of all persons under 25 in the region.

The proportion of White persons among the rural Southwestern youth is quite substantial: 89.2 percent. Blacks make up less than six percent of these youth. Roughly, a fifth of them are classified as having a "Spanish heritage": 21.4 percent. There are slight variations in these proportions by more specific age groups within the "under 25" category (See Tables II, III, and B-2).

Geographically, the distribution of rural Southwestern youth shows the following features: two-fifths of the total reside in Texas, and roughly a third of the total reside in California. These two states comprise 86.5 percent of all rural youth in the Southwest. The remaining rural youth are unevenly distributed among Arizona, Colorado and New Mexico (See Tables II, IV, and Figure I). Of all rural white persons in the Southwest, 44.9 percent are reported to be under 25 years of age. The proportion of rural Blacks under 25 is 52.3 percent. Almost three-fifths of the rural Spanish heritage population is reported to be under 25: 59.4 percent (See Table 33). These rural youth display considerable variation in their distribution by state: the White portion tends to show concentration in California and Texas, and so do Black youth. Spanish heritage youth display substantial concentration in New Mexico, as well as in these two states (See Table IV). These general characteristics are detailed by specific age groups and sex differences in Tables C-1 to C-15.

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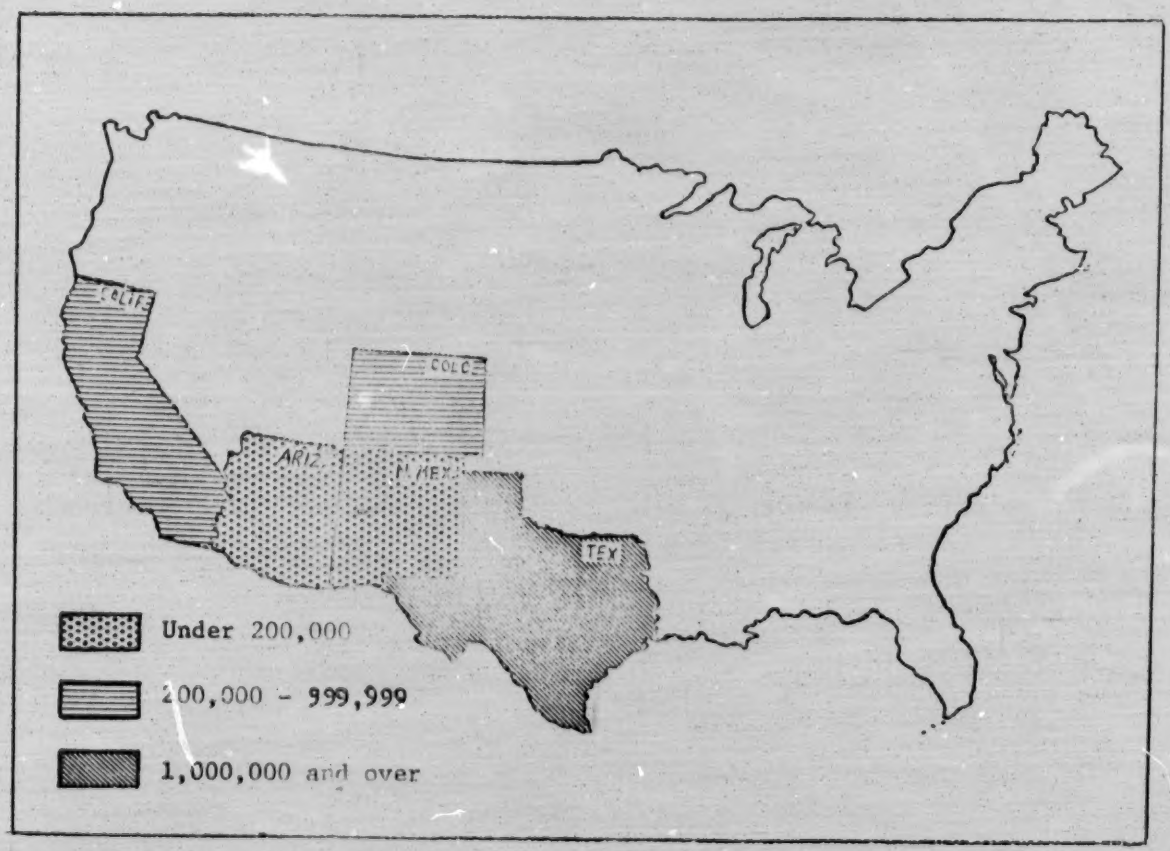

Figure I. Number of Rural Youth under 25 years of age in the Southwest, 1970. (Source: Table II).

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Table II. Rural Youth (Under 25) in the Southwest by Racial or Ethnic Group: 1970.

State	Total	White	Native American*	Black	Spanish Heritage**
Arizona	179,267	125,753	49,934	2,865	37,471
California	832,500	790,042	11,372	18,473	154,664
Colorado	221,014	217,930	n.a.	676	32,403
New Mexico	161,839	124,025	37,062	473	83,804
Texas	1,001,539	879,679	1,079	119,830	204,540
Total	2,396,259	2,137,429	99,447***	142,317	512,882

Compiled from U.S. Bureau of the Census, U.S. Census of Population: 1970. General Social and Economic Characteristics. Final Report PC(1)-C for each state, Table 48, and U.S. Census of Population: 1970. Subject Reports, Final Report PC(2)-1F, American Indians, Table 2.

*See Appendix for definition.

**See Appendix for definitions of Spanish Heritage. Since this is not a racial group, some of these persons are included in "White," "nonwhite," or "Black" categories.

***Does not include Colorado because data are not available.

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Table III. Rural Youth in the Southwest by Racial or Ethnic Group, 1970. Percentage distribution by Group and State.

State	Total	White	Native American	Black	Spanish Heritage
Arizona	100.00	70.14	27.85	1.59	20.90
California	100.00	94.89	1.36	2.21	18.57
Colorado	100.00	98.60	n.a.	0.30	14.66
New Mexico	100.00	76.63	22.90	0.29	51.78
Texas	100.00	87.82	0.10	11.96	20.42
Total	100.00	89.19	4.15*	5.93	21.49

Source: Table II

*Does not include Colorado, because the data are not available.

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Table IV. Rural Youth in the Southwest by Racial or Ethnic Group, 1970. Percentage Distribution within groups by state.*

State	Total	White	Black	Spanish Heritage
Arizona	7.48	5.88	2.01	7.30
California	34.74	36.96	12.98	30.15
Colorado	9.22	10.19	0.47	6.31
New Mexico	6.75	5.80	0.33	16.33
Texas	41.80	41.15	84.19	39.88
Total	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

Source: Table II.

*Native Americans are omitted from this table due to the lack of data for Colorado.

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D. RURAL SPANISH HERITAGE YOUTH IN THE SOUTHWEST

There were, in 1970, over 3.5 million youth of Spanish heritage in the Southwest (See Table A-1). This number represents almost 60 percent of all persons of Spanish heritage in the region (See Table A-3). At least one of every four youth under 25 in the Southwest is of Spanish heritage. Similar comparisons at more specific age levels, by sex, can be estimated from information contained in Tables A-1, A-2, A-3.

Twenty-one percent of all rural youth in the Southwest are of Spanish heritage, a figure representing over half a million persons (See Tables V, B-1, B-2). In Texas, California, Arizona and Colorado, these youth make up around a fifth of all youth under 25, with slight variations by state. In New Mexico, the proportion of all youth who are classified in the Spanish heritage category is well over 40 percent.

Roughly 70 percent of all rural Spanish heritage youth reside in Texas and California (See Table V). Of all Spanish heritage youth in the Southwest, 15 percent are rural residents, a figure which shows considerable variation by state.

E. RURAL NATIVE AMERICAN YOUTH IN THE SOUTHWEST

The total number of Native American youth in the Southwest was over 160,000 in 1970, exclusive of the state of Colorado (See Table VIII). These youth made up roughly 58.0 percent of the total Native American population of the region, (See Table VIII), and included more than 99,000 rural youth (See Tables II, VIII). It is estimated that at least one of every three Native Americans in the Southwest is a rural youth under 25 (See Table VIII). This proportion varies by specific States and age sub-groups, as shown in Tables C-1, C-4, C-10, and C-13. Information on variations by sex is also presented.

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Table V. Rural Spanish Heritage Youth in the Southwest, by State and Age Group: 1970.

State	Total Under 25	Rural Spanish Heritage Youth by Age Group						
		Under 5	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	Under 18	18-20
Arizona	37,471	8,222	9,108	8,661	6,742	4,738	30,418	3,402
California	154,664	31,170	36,064	35,505	30,299	21,626	121,831	16,527
Colorado	32,403	8,312	8,023	7,552	6,772	3,744	26,480	3,107
New Mexico	83,804	16,289	20,610	20,176	16,887	9,842	68,458	7,399
Texas	204,540	43,495	49,000	46,765	40,948	24,332	166,216	191,124
Total	512,882	105,488	122,805	118,659	101,648	64,282	413,403	49,559

Source: Tables C-1 to C-15

Table VI. Rural Spanish Heritage Youth in the Southwest, by State and Age Group, 1970. Percentage Distribution.

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State	Under 25	Under 5	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	Under 18	18-20
Arizona	7.31	7.79	7.42	7.30	6.63	7.37	7.36	6.86
California	30.16	29.55	29.37	29.92	29.81	33.64	29.47	33.35
Colorado	6.32	5.98	6.53	6.36	6.66	5.82	6.41	6.27
New Mexico	15.34	15.44	16.78	17.00	16.61	15.31	16.56	14.93
Texas	39.38	41.23	39.90	39.41	40.28	37.85	40.21	38.59
Total	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

SOURCE: See Table V.

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Table VII. Rural Spanish Heritage Youth in the Southwest by Age Group: 1970. Percentage Distribution Within each State.

STATE	Total Under 25	Rural Spanish Heritage Youth by Age Group						
		Under 5	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	Under 18	18-20
Arizona	100.00	21.94	24.31	23.11	17.99	12.64	81.18	9.08
California	100.00	20.15	23.32	22.96	19.59	13.98	78.77	10.69
Colorado	100.00	19.48	24.76	23.31	20.90	11.55	81.72	9.59
New Mexico	100.00	19.44	24.59	24.08	20.15	11.74	81.69	8.83
Texas	100.00	21.26	23.96	22.86	20.02	11.90	81.26	9.35
Total	100.00	20.57	23.94	23.14	19.82	12.53	80.60	9.66

Source: Table V

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Of all rural youth in the Southwest an estimated 4.15 percent are Native Americans (See Table III). In Arizona and New Mexico, however, the proportion of all rural youth who are classified as Native Americans is above 20 percent; for Arizona, the estimate reaching over 27 percent.

The aggregate number of rural Native American youth for the four states of Arizona, California, New Mexico and Texas displays a substantial proportion of persons in the younger age subgroups, with a peak of 25.33 percent in the "5 to 9 years of age" category (See Tables IX, X). This general pattern is also illustrated in its variations by specific states.

F. SUMMARY

Almost half of the total population of the Southwest was reported to be under 25 years of age in 1970. A majority of these youth were classified as White, and, in general, their geographical concentration is focused in Texas and California. Of all rural persons in the Southwest, over 90 percent are categorized as "White," which includes most of those persons identified as having "Spanish heritage." A similar pattern of geographical concentration is evident in the rural population: 78.2 percent of them resided in Texas and California. Rural youth represent 14.1 percent of all persons under 25 in the Southwest, and display patterns of geographical and racial or ethnic distribution comparatively similar to those of the total rural population. Rural Spanish heritage persons tend to be generally younger than other groups, i.e., slightly higher proportions of youth are found in the younger age groups when compared with the age distributions

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within other groups. A similar finding is reported for the rural Native American youth. At least in one state - New Mexico - rural Spanish heritage youth represents over 50 percent of all rural youth. Although the data presented here on rural Native American youth does not include the state of Colorado, it is estimated that over two thirds of all rural Native American youth in the region reside in Arizona and New Mexico - See Table II. Information regarding the detailed age structure of rural youth, by sex, racial or ethnic group, and state, is presented in tabular fashion below.

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Table VIII. Native Americans In the Southwest, 1970.[†] Total Population, Total Number of Youth (Under 25) and Rural Youth (Under 25).

Distribution and Proportions, by State

State	Total Native American Population	Total Native American Youth	Total Rural Native American Youth
Arizona	94,310 (100.0)	60,144 (63.77)	49,934 (52.94)
California	88,263 (100.0)	47,359 (53.65)	11,372 (12.88)
Colorado	8,002 (100.0)	N.A.*	N.A.*
New Mexico	71.582 (100.0)	45,418 (63.44)	37,062 (51.77)
Texas	16,921 (100.0)	8,736 (51.62)	1,079 (6.37)
Total	279.078 (100.0)	161,657 (57.92)	99,447 (35.63)

Percentages are shown in parentheses.

SOURCE: Compiled from U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Population: 1970. Subject Reports, Final Report PC(2)-1F, American Indians, Table 2.

[†]See Appendix for definition of "Native Americans."

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Table IX. Rural Native American Youth in the Southwest, by State and Age Group: 1970*

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State	Total Under 25	Rural Native-American Youth, by Age						
		Under 5	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	Under 18	18-20
Arizona	40,934	10,390	12,740	11,397	9,365	5,542	41,343	4,389
California	11,372	2,053	2,692	2,507	2,406	1,714	8,308	1,247
Colorado	N.A.**	N.A.**	N.A.**	N.A.**	N.A.**	N.A.**	N.A.**	N.A.**
New Mexico	37,062	8,231	9,561	3,418	6,800	4,052	30,960	2,376
Texas	1,079	180	205	253	246	195	829	86
Total (4 states)	99,447	21,354	25,198	22,575	18,817	11,503	81,940	8,698

SOURCE: Compiled from U.S. Bureau of the Census, U.S. Census of Population: 1970, Subject Reports, Final Report PC(2)-1F, American Indians, Table 2.

*See Appendix for definition of "Native American."

**N.A. = not available

Table X. Rural Native American Youth in the Southwest, by State and Age Group: 1970.

Percentage Distribution

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State	Total Under 25	Rural Native American Youth, by Age						
		Under 5	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	Under 18	18-20
Arizona	100.00	21.80	25.51	22.82	18.75	11.09	82.79	8.78
California	100.00	18.05	23.67	22.04	21.15	15.07	77.45	10.96
Colorado	N.A.*	N.A.*	N.A.*	N.A.*	N.A.*	N.A.*	N.A.*	N.A.*
New Mexico	100.00	22.20	25.79	22.71	18.34	10.93	83.53	8.02
Texas	100.00	16.68	18.99	23.44	22.79	18.07	76.83	7.97
Total (4 states)	100.00	21.47	25.33	22.70	18.92	11.56	82.39	8.74

SOURCE: Table IX

*N.A. = not available

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Table XI. Summary: Rural Population Under 25, Total Rural Population, and Total Population in the Southwest by State, 1970.

State	Rural Population Under 25	Total Rural Population	Total Population
Arizona	179,267	362,819	1,770,900
California	832,500	1,819,999	19,957,715
Colorado	221,014	471,177	2,207,259
New Mexico	161,839	305,295	1,016,000
Texas	1,001,539	2,266,898	11,195,431
Total	2,396,259	5,226,188	36,147,305

Source: Tables I, II, C1 to C15,
Table 48, PC(1)-C Census Report for each State, 1970.

Table XII. Summary: Rural Population Under 25 in the Southwest, as a Proportion of Total Rural Population and Total Population, by State, 1970.

State	Rural Population Under 25	Total Rural Population	Total Population
Arizona	179,267	49.41	10.12
California	832,500	45.74	4.17
Colorado	221,014	46.91	10.01
New Mexico	161,839	53.01	15.93
Texas	1,001,539	44.18	8.95
Total	2,396,259	45.85	6.63

Source: Table VIII

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TABULAR SECTION: RURAL YOUTH IN THE SOUTHWEST, BY STATE, 1970.

This section presents the tabulated information extracted from the 1970 Census of Population reports for each state regarding rural youth under 25 years of age. Included are comparative figures - percentage distributions - among racial or ethnic groups, and within these. The data are arranged according to age groups and sex. Figures B-1 through B-6 display the age-sex profiles of the rural population of the Southwest, by state and also as a region. Tables C-1 through C-15 show detailed information on rural youth by state.

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TABLE A-1. YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
		Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	36,147,305	32,257,916	2,933,282	6,188,362
Under 5 years	3,079,522	2,671,118	314,039	767,307
5-9 years	3,609,950	3,144,676	361,657	837,090
10-14 years	3,700,896	3,245,333	296,776	786,445
15-19 years	3,432,692	3,036,356	302,546	669,264
20-24 years	3,114,845	2,750,061	243,695	526,101
Under 25 years	16,937,905	14,847,544	1,518,713	3,586,207
		Male		
Male, all ages	17,756,958	15,854,752	1,423,370	3,062,263
Under 5 years	1,568,344	1,362,214	157,245	388,942
5-9 years	1,832,776	1,598,823	181,646	423,181
10-14 years	1,883,931	1,654,817	178,504	398,577
15-19 years	1,749,870	1,549,117	153,000	332,920
20-24 years	1,536,646	1,374,141	117,252	246,135
Under 25 years	8,571,567	7,539,112	787,647	1,789,755
		Female		
Female, all ages	18,390,347	16,403,164	1,509,912	3,126,099
Under 5 years	1,511,178	1,308,904	156,794	378,365
5-9 years	1,777,174	1,545,853	180,011	413,909
10-14 years	1,816,965	1,590,516	118,272	387,868
15-19 years	1,682,822	1,487,239	149,546	336,344
20-24 years	1,578,199	1,375,920	126,443	279,966
Under 25 years	8,366,338	7,308,432	731,066	1,796,452

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)-C , Five Southwestern States, Table 48.

*Most persons of Spanish Heritage are counted also in the white category, so there is double counting; the sum of the groups will be greater than the total. A smaller number of Spanish Heritage persons are also counted as black.

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TABLE A-2. YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION AMONG GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
	----------Both Sexes----------			
Total, all ages	100.00	89.24	8.11	17.12
Under 5 years	100.00	86.74	10.20	24.92
5-9 years	100.00	87.11	10.02	23.19
10-14 years	100.00	87.69	8.02	21.25
15-19 years	100.00	88.45	8.81	27.51
20-24 years	100.00	88.29	7.82	16.89
Under 25	100.00	87.66	8.97	21.17
	----------Male----------			
Male, all ages	100.00	89.29	8.02	17.25
Under 5 years	100.00	86.86	10.03	24.80
5-9 years	100.00	87.24	9.91	23.09
10-14 years	100.00	87.84	9.48	21.16
15-19 years	100.00	88.53	8.74	19.03
20-24 years	100.00	89.42	7.63	16,02
Under 25 years	100.00	87.95	9.19	20.88
	----------Female----------			
Female, all ages	100.00	89.19	8.21	17.00
Under 5 years	100.00	86.61	10.38	25.04
5-9 years	100.00	86.98	10.13	23.29
10-14 years	100.00	87.54	6.51	21.35
15-19 years	100.00	88.38	8.89	19.99
20-24 years	100.00	87.18	8.01	17.74
Under 25 years	100.00	87.36	8.74	21.47

SOURCE: See Table A-1.

* Most persons of Spanish Heritage are counted also in the white category, so there is double counting; the sum of the groups will be greater than the total. A smaller number of Spanish Heritage persons are also counted as black.

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TABLE A-3. YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION WITHIN GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
	Both Sexes			
Total, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.52	8.28	10.71	12.40
5-9 years	9.99	9.75	12.33	13.53
10-14 years	10.24	10.06	10.12	12.71
15-19 years	9.50	9.41	10.31	10.81
20-24 years	8.62	8.53	8.31	8.50
Under 25 years	46.86	46.03	51.78	57.95
	Male			
Male, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.83	8.59	11.05	12.70
5-9 years	10.32	10.08	12.76	13.82
10-14 years	10.61	10.44	12.54	13.02
15-19 years	9.85	9.77	10.75	10.87
20-24 years	8.65	8.67	8.24	8.04
Under 25 years	48.27	47.55	55.34	58.45
	Female			
Female, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.22	7.98	10.38	12.10
5-9 years	9.66	9.42	11.92	13.24
10-14 years	9.88	9.70	7.83	12.41
15-19 years	9.15	9.07	9.90	10.76
20-24 years	8.58	8.39	8.37	8.96
Under 25 years	45.49	44.56	48.42	57.47

SOURCE: See Table A-1.

*Most persons of Spanish Heritage are counted also in the white category, so there is double counting; the sum of the groups will be greater than the total. A smaller number of Spanish Heritage persons are also counted as black.

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TABLE B-1. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
		Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	5,226,188	4,756,606	272,236	864,129
Under 5 years	422,267	374,380	24,026	105,488
5-9 years	540,805	481,985	30,320	122,805
10-14 years	583,663	522,553	34,536	118,659
15-19 years	516,209	458,278	34,706	101,648
20-24 years	333,315	300,233	18,729	64,282
Under 18 years	1,891,247	1,684,931	111,891	413,403
18-20 years	243,293	215,295	16,882	49,559
Under 25 years	2,396,259	2,137,429	142,317	512,882
		Male		
Male, all ages	2,658,668	2,416,615	141,867	443,365
Under 5 years	214,933	191,331	11,812	53,532
5-9 years	275,898	246,429	15,130	62,145
10-14 years	303,596	272,072	18,272	60,885
15-19 years	277,307	245,359	20,030	53,457
20-24 years	176,096	156,877	11,682	32,049
Under 18 years	976,955	871,565	58,133	211,615
18-20 years	134,169	117,917	10,365	25,664
Under 25 years	1,247,830	1,112,068	76,926	262,068
		Female		
Female, all ages	2,567,520	2,339,991	130,369	420,764
Under 5 years	207,334	183,049	12,214	51,956
5-9 years	264,907	235,556	15,190	61,492
10-14 years	280,067	250,481	16,264	57,774
15-19 years	238,902	212,919	14,676	48,191
20-24 years	157,219	143,356	7,047	32,233
Under 18 years	914,292	813,366	53,758	201,788
18-20 years	109,124	97,378	6,517	23,895
Under 25 years	1,148,429	1,025,361	65,391	250,814

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)-C , Five Southwestern States, Table 48.

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TABLE B-2. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION AMONG GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
	Both Sexes			
Total, all ages	100.00	91.01	5.21	16.53
Under 5 years	100.00	88.66	5.69	24.98
5-9 years	100.00	89.12	5.61	22.70
10-14 years	100.00	89.53	5.92	20.33
15-19 years	100.00	88.78	6.72	19.69
20-24 years	100.00	90.07	5.69	19.28
Under 18 years	100.00	89.09	5.92	21.86
18-20 years	100.00	88.49	6.94	20.39
Under 25 years	100.00	89.20	5.94	21.40
	Male			
Male, all ages	100.00	90.90	5.34	16.67
Under 5 years	100.00	89.02	5.50	24.90
5-9 years	100.00	89.32	5.48	22.52
10-14 years	100.00	89.62	6.02	20.05
15-19 years	100.00	88.48	7.22	19.27
20-24 years	100.00	89.09	6.63	18.20
Under 18 years	100.00	89.21	5.95	21.66
18-20 years	100.00	87.89	7.73	19.13
Under 25 years	100.00	89.12	6.16	21.00
	Female			
Female, all ages	100.00	91.14	5.08	18.55
Under 5 years	100.00	88.29	5.89	25.06
5-9 years	100.00	88.92	5.73	23.21
10-14 years	100.00	89.44	5.81	20.62
15-19 years	100.00	89.12	6.14	20.17
20-24 years	100.00	91.18	4.48	20.50
Under 18 years	100.00	88.96	5.88	22.07
18-20 years	100.00	89.24	5.97	21.89
Under 25 years	100.00	89.28	5.69	21.84

SOURCE: See Table B-1.

*Most persons of Spanish Heritage are counted also in the white category, so there is double counting; the sum of the groups will be greater than the total. A smaller number of Spanish Heritage persons are also counted as black.

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TABLE B-3. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION WITHIN GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups: White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
		Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.08	7.87	8.33	12.21
5-9 years	10.35	10.13	11.14	14.21
10-14 years	11.17	10.99	12.69	13.73
15-19 years	9.88	9.63	12.75	11.76
20-24 years	6.38	6.31	6.88	7.44
Under 18 years	36.19	35.42	41.10	47.84
18-20 years	4.56	4.53	6.20	5.74
Under 25 years	45.85	44.94	52.28	59.35
		Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.08	7.92	8.33	12.07
5-9 years	10.38	10.20	10.66	14.02
10-14 years	11.42	11.26	12.88	13.73
15-19 years	10.43	10.15	14.12	12.06
20-24 years	6.62	6.49	8.23	7.23
Under 18 years	36.75	36.07	40.98	47.73
18-20 years	5.05	4.88	7.31	5.79
Under 25 years	46.93	46.02	54.22	59.11
		Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.08	7.82	9.37	12.35
5-9 years	10.32	10.07	11.[illegible]	14.61
10-14 years	10.91	10.70	12.[illegible]	13.73
15-19 years	9.30	9.10	11.26	11.45
20-24 years	6.12	6.13	5.41	7.66
Under 18 years	35.61	34.76	41.24	47.96
18-20 years	4.25	4.16	5.00	5.68
Under 25 years	44.73	43.82	48.62	59.61

SOURCE: See Table B-1.

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1970 ARIZONA			AGE-SEX PROFILE TOTAL RURAL POPULATION	1970 ARIZONA	
NUMBER	PERCENT	AGE	9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	PERCENT	NUMBER
988	.27	85+	M|F	.24	874
1,481	.40	80-4	M|F	.36	1,311
2,469	.68	75-9	MM|FF	.60	2,184
4,958	1.36	70-4	MMMM|FFF	1.13	4,133
7,557	2.08	65-9	MMMMMM|FFFFFF	1.85	6,746
8,144	2.24	60-4	MMMMMMM|FFFFFFF	2.31	8,402
8,625	2.37	55-9	MMMMMMM|FFFFFFF	2.43	8,819
9,038	2.49	50-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.56	9,324
9,267	2.55	45-9	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.60	9,454
9,845	2.71	40-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.54	9,226
9,772	2.69	35-9	MMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFF	2.84	10,306
9,915	2.73	30-4	MMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFF	2.78	10,095
10,134	2.79	25-9	MMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFF	2.89	10,502
12,626	3.47	20-4	MMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFF	3.15	11,429
18,354	5.05	15-9	MMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFF	4.65	16,897
22,088	6.08	10-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFFF	5.66	20,544
20,951	5.77	5-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFFF	5.78	21,003
17,861	4.92	0-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFFF	4.82	17,513
MALE TOTAL	184,072		TOTAL POP. 362,819	FEMALE TOTAL	178,747

Figure B-1. Age and sex distribution of the rural population of Arizona, 1970.

1970 CALIFORNIA			AGE-SEX PROFILE TOTAL RURAL POPULATION		1970 CALIFORNIA	
NUMBER	PERCENT	AGE	9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		PERCENT	NUMBER
5,765	.31	85+	M | F		.32	5,998
8,648	.47	80-4	M | F		.49	8,997
14,412	.79	75-9	MM | FF		.82	14,994
25,076	1.37	70-4	MMMM | FFFF		1.25	22,876
36,211	1.98	65-9	MMMMMM | FFFFF		1.75	31,953
44,759	2.45	60-4	MMMMMMM | FFFFFFF		2.26	41,238
49,540	2.72	55-9	MMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFF		2.55	46,410
50,497	2.77	50-4	MMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFF		2.66	48,547
56,493	3.10	45-9	MMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFF		2.99	54,483
55,581	3.05	40-4	MMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFF		2.89	52,722
51,945	2.85	35-9	MMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFF		2.80	50,986
50,974	2.80	30-4	MMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFF		2.77	50,436
54,707	3.00	25-9	MMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFF		2.92	53,249
76,716	4.19	20-4	MMMMMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFF		3.09	56,249
100,657	5.53	15-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFFFFFF		4.46	81,231
103,066	5.66	10-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFF		5.18	94,330
93,733	5.15	5-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFF		4.86	88,490
70,827	3.89	0-4	MMMMMMMMMMM | FFFFFFFFFFF		3.71	67,571
MALE TOTAL 942,237			TOTAL POP. 1,819,999		FEMALE TOTAL	870,762

Figure B-2. Age and sex distribution of the rural population of California, 1970.

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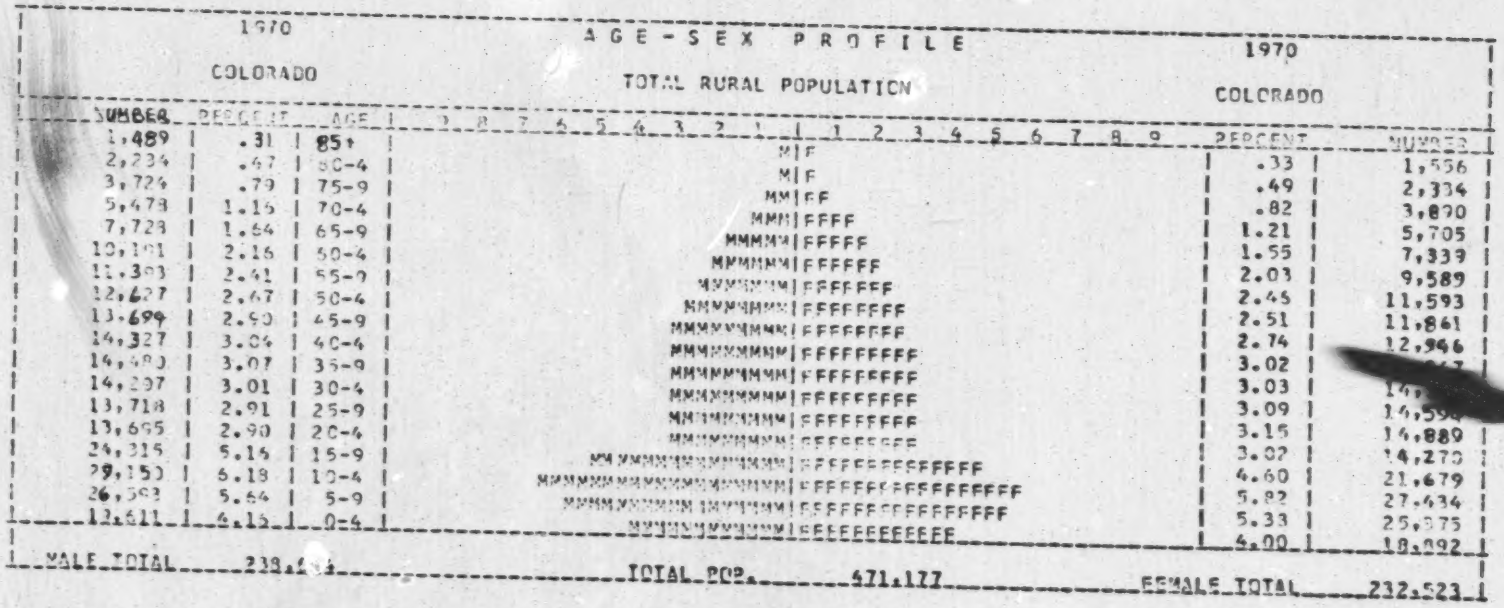

Figure B-3. Age and sex distribution of the rural population of Colorado, 1970.

1970 NEW MEXICO			AGE-SEX PROFILE TOTAL RURAL POPULATION		1970 NEW MEXICO	
NUMBER	PERCENT	AGE	9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1	1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	PERCENT	NUMBER
851	.27	85+	M	F	.25	792
1,276	.41	80-4	M	F	.38	1,188
2,127	.69	75-9	MM	FF	.64	1,981
2,993	.98	70-4	MMM	FFF	.94	2,888
4,455	1.45	65-9	MMMM	FFFF	1.38	4,214
5,690	1.86	60-4	MMMMM	FFFFF	1.82	5,573
6,355	2.08	55-9	MMMMMM	FFFFFF	2.11	6,445
6,863	2.24	50-4	MMMMMMM	FFFFFFF	2.21	6,751
7,496	2.45	45-9	MMMMMMM	FFFFFFF	2.45	7,491
7,825	2.56	40-4	MMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFF	2.52	7,707
8,721	2.85	35-9	MMMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFFF	2.94	8,995
8,212	2.68	30-4	MMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFF	2.92	8,934
8,204	2.68	25-9	MMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFF	3.06	9,345
9,083	2.97	20-4	MMMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFFF	3.29	10,058
16,788	5.48	15-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFFFFFFFFF	5.24	16,022
20,145	6.59	10-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFF	6.51	19,899
20,934	6.52	5-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFFF	6.34	19,368
15,311	5.00	0-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMM	FFFFFFFFFFFFFFF	4.98	15,222
MALE TOTAL	152,421		TOTAL POP. 305,295		FEMALE TOTAL	152,874

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Figure B-4. Age and sex distribution of the rural population of New Mexico, 1970.

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1970 TEXAS			AGE-SEX PROFILE TOTAL RURAL POPULATION		1970 TEXAS	
NUMBER	PERCENT	AGE	9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 | 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		PERCENT	NUMBER
9,026	.39	85+	M|F		.48	11,093
13,539	.59	80-4	MM|FF		.73	16,639
22,565	.99	75-9	MMM|FFF		1.22	27,732
36,472	1.60	70-4	MMMMM|FFFFF		1.74	39,452
50,313	2.21	65-9	MMMMMMM|FFFFFFF		2.28	51,690
60,242	2.65	60-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.69	61,065
62,837	2.77	55-9	MMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFF		2.88	65,489
60,5[illegible]	2.66	50-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.75	62,443
61,542	2.71	45-9	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.79	63,446
63,027	2.78	40-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.74	62,124
59,798	2.63	35-9	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.73	62,019
57,643	2.54	30-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.69	61,152
60,067	2.64	25-9	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.79	63,313
64,366	2.83	20-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF		2.87	65,213
117,363	5.17	15-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFFFF		4.54	103,073
129,152	5.69	10-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFFFFF		5.19	117,860
114,686	5.05	5-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFFFF		4.88	110,671
91,124	4.01	0-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFF		3.88	88,130
MALE TOTAL 1,134,283			TOTAL POP. 2,266,897		FEMALE TOTAL 1,132,614	

Figure B-5. Age and sex distribution of the rural population of Texas, 1970.

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1970 FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES			AGE-SEX PROFILE TOTAL RURAL POPULATION	1970 FIVE SOUTHWESTERN STATES	
NUMBER	PERCENT	AGE	9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	PERCENT	NUMBER
11,113	.34	85+	M|F	.38	20,313
27,178	.52	80-4	MM|FF	.58	30,469
46,297	.86	75-9	MMM|FFF	.97	50,781
76,077	1.43	70-4	MMMM|FFFF	1.43	75,054
106,264	2.01	65-9	MMMMMM|FFFFFF	1.95	101,944
129,080	2.43	60-4	MMMMMMM|FFFFFFF	2.40	125,857
138,760	2.66	55-9	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.65	138,765
139,531	2.66	50-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.65	138,926
148,490	2.84	45-9	MMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.82	147,800
150,705	2.88	40-4	MMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFF	2.79	146,046
144,705	2.76	35-9	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.80	145,617
140,651	2.69	30-4	MMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFF	2.77	145,211
146,830	2.80	25-9	MMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFF	2.89	151,298
179,096	3.36	20-4	MMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFF	3.00	157,219
277,307	5.30	15-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFF	4.57	238,902
303,586	5.80	10-4	MMMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFFF	5.35	280,067
276,897	5.27	5-9	MMMMMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFFFF	5.06	264,907
216,833	4.11	0-4	MMMMMMMMMMM|FFFFFFFFFFF	3.96	207,334
MALE TOTAL 2,658,667			TOTAL POP. 5,226,187	FEMALE TOTAL 2,567,520	

Figure B-6. Age and sex distribution of the rural population of the Five Southwestern States, 1970.

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TABLE C-1. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX AND AGE

ARIZONA

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	362,819	278,622	5,007	63,114	77,868
Under 5 years	35,380	24,033	356	8,222	10,890
5-9 years	41,954	28,524	517	9,108	12,740
10-14 years	42,627	30,480	582	8,661	11,397
15-19 years	35,251	24,993	743	6,742	9,365
20-24 years	24,055	17,723	667	4,738	5,542
Under 18 years	143,849	100,060	1,908	30,418	41,343
18-20 years	16,590	11,600	513	3,402	4,389
Under 25 years	179,267	125,753	2,865	37,471	49,934
			Male		
Male, all ages	184,072	141,858	3,069	32,358	38,435
Under 5 years	17,861	12,261	155	4,230	5,395
5-9 years	20,951	14,233	218	4,620	6,392
10-14 years	22,083	16,038	374	4,472	5,612
15-19 years	18,354	13,061	489	3,445	4,732
20-24 years	12,626	9,222	531	2,272	2,784
Under 18 years	73,305	51,414	1,009	15,593	20,629
18-20 years	8,756	6,122	408	1,712	2,168
Under 25 years	91,875	64,815	1,767	19,039	24,915
			Female		
Female, all ages	178,747	136,764	1,938	30,756	39,433
Under 5 years	17,519	11,772	201	3,992	5,495
5-9 years	21,003	14,291	299	4,488	6,348
10-14 years	20,544	14,442	208	4,189	5,785
15-19 years	16,897	11,932	254	3,297	4,633
20-24 years	11,429	8,501	136	2,466	2,758
Under 18 years	70,544	48,646	899	14,825	20,714
18-20 years	7,834	5,478	105	1,690	2,221
Under 25 years	87,392	60,938	1,008	18,432	25,019

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)-C4, Arizona, Table 48.

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TABLE C-2. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

ARIZONA

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION AMONG GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	76.79	1.38	17.40	21.46
Under 5 years	100.00	67.93	1.01	23.24	20.40
5-9 years	100.00	67.99	1.23	21.70	30.36
10-14 years	100.00	71.50	1.37	20.32	26.73
15-19 years	100.00	70.90	2.11	19.12	26.56
20-24 years	100.00	73.68	2.77	19.69	23.03
Under 18 years	100.00	69.56	1.33	21.14	28.74
18-20 years	100.00	69.92	3.09	20.50	26.45
Under 25 years	100.00	70.15	1.60	20.90	27.85
			Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	77.07	1.67	17.58	20.88
Under 5 years	100.00	68.65	0.87	23.68	30.20
5-9 years	100.00	67.93	1.04	22.05	30.50
10-14 years	100.00	72.63	1.69	20.25	25.41
15-19 years	100.00	71.16	2.66	18.77	25.78
20-24 years	100.00	73.04	4.21	17.99	22.04
Under 18 years	100.00	70.14	1.38	21.27	28.14
18-20 years	100.00	69.92	4.66	19.55	24.76
Under 25 years	100.00	70.55	1.92	20.72	27.11
			Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	76.51	1.08	17.20	22.06
Under 5 years	100.00	67.20	1.15	22.78	31.36
5-9 years	100.00	68.04	1.42	21.37	30.22
10-14 years	100.00	70.30	1.01	20.39	28.15
15-19 years	100.00	70.62	1.50	19.51	27.41
20-24 years	100.00	74.38	1.19	21.57	24.13
Under 18 years	100.00	68.96	1.27	21.01	29.36
18-20 years	100.00	69.93	1.34	21.57	28.35
Under 25 years	100.00	69.73	1.26	21.09	28.62

SOURCE: See Table C-1.

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TABLE C-3. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

ARIZONA

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION WITHIN GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	9.75	8.63	7.11	13.03	13.98
5-9 years	11.56	10.24	10.33	14.43	16.36
10-14 years	11.75	10.94	11.62	13.72	14.63
15-19 years	9.72	8.97	14.84	10.68	12.02
20-24 years	6.63	6.36	13.32	7.51	7.11
Under 18 years	39.65	35.91	38.11	48.20	53.09
18-20 years	4.57	4.16	10.25	5.39	5.63
Under 25 years	49.41	45.13	57.22	59.37	64.12
			Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	9.70	8.64	5.05	13.07	14.03
5-9 years	11.38	10.03	7.10	14.28	16.63
10-14 years	12.00	11.31	12.19	13.82	14.60
15-19 years	9.97	9.21	15.93	10.65	12.31
20-24 years	6.86	6.50	17.30	7.02	7.24
Under 18 years	39.82	36.24	32.88	48.19	53.67
18-20 years	4.76	4.32	13.29	5.29	5.64
Under 25 years	49.91	45.69	57.58	58.84	64.82
			Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	9.80	8.61	10.37	12.98	13.93
5-9 years	11.75	10.45	15.43	14.59	16.09
10-14 years	11.49	10.56	10.73	13.62	14.67
15-19 years	9.45	8.72	13.11	10.72	11.74
20-24 years	6.39	6.22	7.02	8.02	6.99
Under 18 years	39.47	35.57	46.39	48.20	52.52
18-20 years	4.38	4.01	5.42	5.49	5.63
Under 25 years	48.89	44.56	56.66	59.93	63.44

SOURCE: See Table C-1.

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TOTAL C-4. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE,
BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

CALIFORNIA

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	1,819,999	1,733,698	35,485	264,283	21,061
Under 5 years	138,398	132,352	2,180	31,170	2,053
5-9 years	182,223	173,951	3,261	36,064	2,692
10-14 years	197,396	188,276	3,730	35,505	2,507
15-19 years	181,918	171,582	4,557	30,299	2,406
20-24 years	132,565	123,881	4,745	21,626	1,714
Under 18 years	633,275	603,769	11,700	121,831	8,808
18-20 years	96,951	90,401	3,362	16,527	1,247
Under 25 years	832,500	790,042	18,473	154,664	11,372
			Male		
Male, all ages	949,237	898,297	22,588	140,446	11,140
Under 5 years	70,827	67,726	1,162	15,762	1,031
5-9 years	93,733	89,670	1,552	18,448	1,323
10-14 years	103,066	98,134	2,019	18,220	1,406
15-19 years	100,687	94,086	3,334	16,735	1,361
20-24 years	76,316	70,064	3,903	11,919	949
Under 18 years	329,511	313,817	6,422	62,731	4,589
18-20 years	57,054	52,385	2,742	9,406	755
Under 25 years	444,629	419,680	11,970	81,084	6,070
			Female		
Female, all ages	870,762	835,401	12,897	123,837	9,921
Under 5 years	67,571	64,626	1,018	15,408	1,022
5-9 years	88,490	84,281	1,709	17,616	1,369
10-14 years	94,330	90,142	1,711	17,285	1,101
15-19 years	81,231	77,496	1,223	13,564	1,045
20-24 years	56,249	53,817	842	9,707	765
Under 18 years	303,764	289,952	5,278	59,100	4,219
18-20 years	39,897	38,016	620	7,121	492
Under 25 years	387,871	370,362	6,503	73,580	5,302

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)-C6, California, Table 48.

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TABLE C-5. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

CALIFORNIA

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION AMONG GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	95.26	1.95	14.52	1.15
Under 5 years	100.00	95.63	1.58	22.52	1.48
5-9 years	100.00	95.46	1.79	19.79	1.47
10-14 years	100.00	95.38	1.89	17.98	1.27
15-19 years	100.00	94.32	2.50	16.65	1.32
20-24 years	100.00	93.45	3.58	16.31	1.29
Under 18 years	100.00	95.34	1.85	19.24	1.39
18-20 years	100.00	93.24	3.43	17.04	1.28
Under 25 years	100.00	94.90	2.22	18.57	1.36
			Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	94.63	2.38	14.79	1.17
Under 5 years	100.00	95.62	1.64	22.25	1.45
5-9 years	100.00	95.67	1.66	19.68	1.41
10-14 years	100.00	95.21	1.96	17.67	1.36
15-19 years	100.00	93.44	3.31	16.62	1.35
20-24 years	100.00	91.81	5.11	15.61	1.24
Under 18 years	100.00	95.24	1.95	19.03	1.39
18-20 years	100.00	91.82	4.81	16.48	1.32
Under 25 years	100.00	94.39	2.69	18.23	1.36
			Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	95.94	1.48	14.22	1.13
Under 5 years	100.00	95.64	1.51	22.80	1.51
5-9 years	100.00	95.24	1.93	19.91	1.54
10-14 years	100.00	95.56	1.81	18.32	1.16
15-19 years	100.00	95.40	1.51	16.69	1.28
20-24 years	100.00	95.68	1.50	17.25	1.36
Under 18 years	100.00	95.45	1.74	19.45	1.38
18-20 years	100.00	95.29	1.55	17.84	1.23
Under 25 years	100.00	95.49	1.68	18.97	1.36

SOURCE: See Table C-4.

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TABLE C-6. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

CALIFORNIA

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION WITHIN GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups: White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	7.60	7.63	6.14	11.79	9.74
5-9 years	10.01	10.03	9.19	13.65	12.78
10-14 years	10.85	10.86	10.51	13.43	11.90
15-19 years	10.00	9.90	12.84	11.46	11.42
20-24 years	7.28	7.15	13.37	8.18	8.13
Under 18 years	34.80	34.83	32.97	46.10	41.82
18-20 years	5.33	5.21	9.47	6.25	5.92
Under 25 years	45.74	45.57	52.06	58.52	53.99
			Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	7.46	7.54	5.14	11.22	9.25
5-9 years	9.87	9.98	6.87	13.14	11.87
10-14 years	10.86	10.92	8.94	12.97	12.62
15-19 years	10.61	10.47	14.76	11.92	12.21
20-24 years	8.04	7.80	17.28	8.49	8.51
Under 18 years	34.71	34.93	28.43	44.67	41.19
18-20 years	6.01	5.83	12.14	6.70	6.77
Under 25 years	46.84	46.72	52.99	57.73	54.48
			Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	7.76	7.74	7.89	12.44	10.30
5-9 years	10.16	10.09	13.25	14.23	13.79
10-14 years	10.83	10.79	13.27	13.96	11.09
15-19 years	9.33	9.28	9.48	10.95	10.53
20-24 years	6.46	6.44	6.53	7.84	7.71
Under 18 years	34.88	34.71	40.92	47.72	42.52
18-20 years	4.58	4.55	4.81	5.75	4.95
Under 25 years	44.54	44.33	50.42	59.42	53.44

SOURCE: See Table C-4.

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TABLE C-7. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

COLORADO

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
	Both Sexes			
Total, all ages	471,177	465,865	1,126	54,717
Under 5 years	38,503	38,016	108	6,312
5-9 years	51,968	51,231	162	8,023
10-14 years	56,584	55,764	140	7,552
15-19 years	45,994	45,302	161	6,772
20-24 years	27,965	27,617	105	3,744
Under 18 years	179,023	176,501	499	26,480
18-20 years	19,559	19,259	99	3,107
Under 25 years	221,014	217,930	676	32,403
	Male			
Male, all ages	238,654	235,697	680	27,476
Under 5 years	19,611	19,361	56	3,201
5-9 years	26,593	26,157	79	4,067
10-14 years	29,150	28,677	69	3,684
15-19 years	24,315	23,902	135	3,351
20-24 years	13,695	13,480	78	1,831
Under 18 years	91,948	90,500	280	13,281
18-20 years	10,682	10,478	86	1,456
Under 25 years	113,364	111,577	417	16,134
	Female			
Female, all ages	232,523	230,168	446	27,241
Under 5 years	18,892	18,655	52	3,111
5-9 years	25,375	25,074	83	3,956
10-14 years	27,434	27,087	71	3,868
15-19 years	21,679	21,400	26	3,421
20-24 years	14,270	14,137	27	1,913
Under 18 years	87,075	86,001	219	13,199
18-20 years	8,877	8,781	13	1,651
Under 25 years	107,650	106,353	259	16,269

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)-C7, Colorado, Table 48.

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TABLE C-8. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

COLORADO

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION WITHIN GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
	Both Sexes			
Total, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.17	8.16	9.59	11.54
5-9 years	11.03	11.00	14.39	14.66
10-14 years	12.01	11.97	12.43	13.80
15-19 years	9.76	9.72	14.30	12.38
20-24 years	5.94	5.93	9.33	6.84
Under 18 years	37.99	37.89	44.32	48.39
18-20 years	4.15	4.13	8.79	5.68
Under 25 years	46.91	46.78	60.04	59.22
	Male			
Male, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.22	8.21	8.24	11.65
5-9 years	11.14	11.10	11.62	14.80
10-14 years	12.21	12.17	10.15	13.41
15-19 years	10.19	10.14	19.85	12.20
20-24 years	5.74	5.72	11.47	6.66
Under 18 years	38.53	38.40	41.18	48.34
18-20 years	4.48	4.45	12.65	5.30
Under 25 years	47.50	47.34	61.32	58.72
	Female			
Female, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.12	8.10	11.66	11.42
5-9 years	10.91	10.89	18.61	14.52
10-14 years	11.80	11.77	15.92	14.20
15-19 years	9.32	9.30	5.83	12.56
20-24 years	6.14	6.14	6.05	7.02
Under 18 years	37.45	37.36	49.10	48.45
18-20 years	3.82	3.82	2.91	6.06
Under 25 years	46.30	46.21	58.07	59.72

SOURCE: See Table C-7.

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TABLE C-9. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

COLORADO

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION AMONG GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups		
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*
	Both Sexes			
Total, all ages	100.00	98.87	0.24	11.61
Under 5 years	100.00	98.74	0.28	16.39
5-9 years	100.00	98.58	0.31	15.43
10-14 years	100.00	98.55	0.25	13.34
15-19 years	100.00	98.50	0.35	14.72
20-24 years	100.00	98.76	0.38	13.38
Under 18 years	100.00	98.59	0.28	14.79
18-20 years	100.00	98.47	0.51	15.88
Under 25 years	100.00	98.60	0.31	14.66
	Male			
Male, all ages	100.00	98.76	0.28	11.51
Under 5 years	100.00	98.73	0.29	16.32
5-9 years	100.00	98.36	0.30	15.29
10-14 years	100.00	98.38	0.24	12.63
15-19 years	100.00	98.30	0.56	13.78
20-24 years	100.00	98.43	0.57	13.37
Under 18 years	100.00	98.43	0.30	14.44
18-20 years	100.00	98.09	0.81	13.63
Under 25 years	100.00	98.42	0.37	14.23
	Female			
Female, all ages	100.00	98.99	0.19	11.71
Under 5 years	100.00	98.75	0.28	16.46
5-9 years	100.00	98.81	0.33	15.59
10-14 years	100.00	98.74	0.26	14.09
15-19 years	100.00	98.71	0.12	15.78
20-24 years	100.00	99.07	0.19	13.40
Under 18 years	100.00	98.77	0.25	15.15
18-20 years	100.00	98.92	0.15	18.59
Under 25 years	100.00	98.80	0.24	15.11

SOURCE: See Table C-7.

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TABLE C-10. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

NEW MEXICO

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	305,295	245,612	1,015	145,875	58,177
Under 5 years	30,732	22,419	39	16,289	8,231
5-9 years	39,302	29,579	110	20,610	9,561
10-14 years	40,044	31,449	112	20,176	8,418
15-19 years	32,610	25,627	110	16,887	6,800
20-24 years	19,151	14,951	102	9,842	4,052
Under 18 years	132,779	101,259	342	68,458	30,960
18-20 years	13,758	10,711	50	7,399	2,976
Under 25 years	161,839	124,025	473	83,804	37,062
			Male		
Male, all ages	152,421	123,563	614	73,143	28,026
Under 5 years	15,510	11,427	12	8,274	4,057
5-9 years	19,934	15,090	72	10,390	4,729
10-14 years	20,145	16,018	66	10,269	4,027
15-19 years	16,588	13,250	77	8,726	3,229
20-24 years	9,093	7,073	71	4,487	1,937
Under 18 years	67,199	51,797	205	34,986	15,074
18-20 years	6,803	5,325	22	3,486	1,456
Under 25 years	81,270	62,858	298	42,146	17,979
			Female		
Female, all ages	152,874	122,049	401	72,732	30,151
Under 5 years	15,222	10,992	27	8,015	4,174
5-9 years	19,368	14,489	38	10,220	4,832
10-14 years	19,899	15,431	46	9,907	4,391
15-19 years	16,022	12,377	33	8,161	3,571
20-24 years	10,058	7,878	31	5,355	2,115
Under 18 years	65,580	49,462	137	33,472	15,886
18-20 years	6,955	5,386	28	3,913	1,520
Under 25 years	80,569	61,167	175	41,658	19,083

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)-C33, New Mexico, Table 48.

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TABLE C-11. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

NEW MEXICO

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION AMONG GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
		Both Sexes			
Total, all ages	100.00	80.45	0.33	47.78	19.05
Under 5 years	100.00	72.95	0.13	53.00	26.78
5-9 years	100.00	75.26	0.28	52.44	24.32
10-14 years	100.00	78.54	0.28	50.38	21.02
15-19 years	100.00	78.59	0.34	51.78	20.85
20-24 years	100.00	78.07	0.53	51.39	21.15
Under 18 years	100.00	76.26	0.26	51.55	23.31
18-20 years	100.00	77.85	0.36	53.78	21.63
Under 25 years	100.00	76.63	0.29	51.78	22.90
		Male			
Male, all ages	100.00	81.07	0.40	47.98	18.38
Under 5 years	100.00	73.68	0.08	53.34	26.15
5-9 years	100.00	75.70	0.36	52.12	23.72
10-14 years	100.00	79.51	0.33	50.97	19.99
15-19 years	100.00	79.88	0.46	52.60	19.46
20-24 years	100.00	77.79	0.78	49.34	21.30
Under 18 years	100.00	77.08	0.31	52.06	22.43
18-20 years	100.00	78.27	0.32	51.24	21.40
Under 25 years	100.00	77.34	0.37	51.86	22.12
		Female			
Female, all ages	100.00	79.84	0.26	47.57	19.72
Under 5 years	100.00	72.21	0.18	52.65	27.42
5-9 years	100.00	74.81	0.20	52.76	24.94
10-14 years	100.00	77.55	0.23	49.78	22.06
15-19 years	100.00	77.25	0.21	50.93	22.28
20-24 years	100.00	78.33	0.31	53.24	21.02
Under 18 years	100.00	75.42	0.21	51.04	24.22
18-20 years	100.00	77.44	0.40	56.26	21.85
Under 25 years	100.00	75.92	0.22	51.70	23.68

SOURCE: See Table C-10.

*Most persons of Spanish Heritage are counted also in the white category, so there is double counting; the sum of the groups will be greater than the total. A smaller number of Spanish Heritage persons are also counted as black.

**See Appendix for definition.

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TABLE C-12. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

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PERCENT DISTRIBUTION WITHIN GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	10.07	9.13	3.84	11.17	14.14
5-9 years	12.87	12.04	10.84	14.13	16.43
10-14 years	13.12	12.80	11.03	13.83	14.46
15-19 years	10.68	10.43	10.84	11.58	11.68
20-24 years	6.27	6.09	10.05	6.75	6.96
Under 18 years	43.49	41.23	33.69	46.93	53.21
18-20 years	4.51	4.36	4.93	5.07	5.11
Under 25 years	53.01	50.50	46.60	57.45	63.70
			Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	10.18	9.25	1.95	11.31	14.47
5-9 years	13.08	12.31	11.73	14.21	16.87
10-14 years	13.22	12.96	10.75	14.04	14.36
15-19 years	10.88	10.72	12.54	11.93	11.52
20-24 years	5.97	5.78	11.56	6.13	6.91
Under 18 years	44.09	41.92	33.39	47.83	53.78
18-20 years	4.46	4.31	3.58	4.77	5.19
Under 25 years	53.32	50.87	48.53	57.62	64.15
			Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	9.96	9.01	6.73	11.02	13.84
5-9 years	12.67	11.87	9.48	14.05	16.02
10-14 years	13.02	12.64	11.47	13.62	14.56
15-19 years	10.48	10.14	8.23	11.22	11.84
20-24 years	6.58	6.45	7.73	7.36	7.01
Under 18 years	42.90	40.53	34.15	46.02	52.68
18-20 years	4.55	4.41	6.98	5.38	5.04
Under 25 years	52.70	50.12	43.64	57.28	63.29

SOURCE: See Table C-10.

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TABLE C-13. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

TEXAS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups: White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	2,266,898	2,032,809	229,603	336,140	2,354
Under 5 years	179,254	157,560	21,343	43,495	180
5-9 years	225,358	198,700	26,270	49,000	205
10-14 years	247,012	216,584	29,972	46,765	253
15-19 years	220,436	190,774	29,135	40,948	246
20-24 years	129,579	116,061	13,110	24,332	195
Under 18 years	802,321	703,342	97,442	166,216	829
18-20 years	96,435	83,324	12,858	19,124	86
Under 25 years	1,001,639	879,679	119,830	204,540	1,079
			Male		
Male, all ages	1,134,284	1,017,200	114,916	169,942	1,206
Under 5 years	91,124	80,556	10,427	22,065	74
5-9 years	114,687	101,279	13,209	24,620	104
10-14 years	129,152	113,205	15,744	24,240	112
15-19 years	117,363	101,060	15,995	21,200	140
20-24 years	64,366	57,038	7,099	11,540	130
Under 18 years	414,992	364,037	50,217	85,024	392
18-20 years	50,874	43,607	7,107	9,604	65
Under 25 years	516,692	453,138	62,474	103,665	560
			Female		
Female, all ages	1,132,614	1,015,609	114,687	166,198	1,148
Under 5 years	88,130	77,004	10,916	21,430	106
5-9 years	110,671	97,421	13,061	24,380	101
10-14 years	117,860	103,379	14,228	22,525	141
15-19 years	103,073	89,714	13,140	19,748	106
20-24 years	65,213	59,023	6,011	12,792	65
Under 18 years	387,329	339,305	47,225	81,192	437
18-20 years	45,561	39,717	5,751	9,520	21
Under 25 years	484,947	426,541	57,356	100,875	519

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census of Population, General Social and Economic Characteristics, Final Report PC(1)-C45, Texas, Table 48.

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TABLE C-14. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

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PERCENT DISTRIBUTION AMONG GROUPS

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Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Groups			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	89.67	10.13	14.83	0.10
Under 5 years	100.00	87.90	11.91	24.26	0.10
5-9 years	100.00	88.17	11.66	21.74	0.09
10-14 years	100.00	87.68	12.13	18.93	0.10
15-19 years	100.00	86.54	13.22	18.57	0.11
20-24 years	100.00	89.57	13.22	18.77	0.15
Under 18 years	100.00	87.66	12.15	20.71	0.10
18-20 years	100.00	89.52	13.33	19.83	0.09
Under 25 years	100.00	87.82	11.96	20.42	0.10
			Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	89.68	10.13	14.98	0.10
Under 5 years	100.00	88.40	11.44	24.21	0.08
5-9 years	100.00	88.31	11.52	21.46	0.09
10-14 years	100.00	87.65	12.19	18.76	0.08
15-19 years	100.00	86.11	13.63	18.06	0.12
20-24 years	100.00	88.62	11.03	17.93	0.20
Under 18 years	100.00	87.72	12.10	20.49	0.09
18-20 years	100.00	85.72	13.97	18.87	0.12
Under 25 years	100.00	87.70	12.09	20.06	0.10
			Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	89.67	10.13	14.67	0.10
Under 5 years	100.00	87.38	12.39	24.31	0.12
5-9 years	100.00	88.03	11.80	22.03	0.09
10-14 years	100.00	87.71	12.07	19.11	0.12
15-19 years	100.00	87.04	12.75	19.16	0.10
20-24 years	100.00	90.51	9.22	19.61	0.10
Under 18 years	100.00	87.60	12.19	20.96	0.11
18-20 years	100.00	87.17	12.62	20.89	0.04
Under 25 years	100.00	87.96	11.83	20.80	0.10

SOURCE: See Table C-13.

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TABLE C-15. RURAL YOUTH UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE, BY RACE OR ETHNIC GROUP, SEX, AND AGE

TEXAS

PERCENT DISTRIBUTION WITHIN GROUPS

Age Group	Total	Race or Ethnic Group			
		White*	Black	Spanish Heritage*	Native American**
			Both Sexes		
Total, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	7.91	7.75	9.30	12.94	7.64
5-9 years	9.94	9.77	11.44	14.58	8.70
10-14 years	10.90	10.65	13.05	13.91	10.74
15-19 years	9.72	9.38	12.69	12.18	10.45
20-24 years	5.72	5.71	5.71	7.24	8.28
Under 18 years	35.39	34.60	42.44	49.45	35.21
18-20 years	4.25	4.10	5.60	5.69	3.65
Under 25 years	44.19	43.27	52.19	60.85	45.83
			Male		
Male, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	8.03	7.92	9.07	12.98	6.13
5-9 years	10.11	9.96	11.49	14.49	8.62
10-14 years	11.39	11.13	13.70	14.26	9.28
15-19 years	10.35	9.94	13.92	12.47	11.60
20-24 years	5.67	5.61	6.18	6.79	10.77
Under 18 years	36.59	35.79	43.70	50.03	32.50
18-20 years	4.49	4.29	6.18	5.65	5.38
Under 25 years	45.55	44.55	54.36	61.00	46.43
			Female		
Female, all ages	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Under 5 years	7.78	7.58	9.52	12.89	9.23
5-9 years	9.75	9.59	11.39	14.67	8.79
10-14 years	10.41	10.18	12.41	13.55	12.28
15-19 years	9.10	8.83	11.46	11.88	9.23
20-24 years	5.76	5.81	5.24	7.70	5.66
Under 18 years	34.20	33.41	41.18	48.85	38.06
18-20 years	4.02	3.91	5.01	5.73	1.82
Under 25 years	42.82	42.00	50.01	60.70	45.20

SOURCE: See Table C-13.

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APPENDIX

Glossary of Definitions

Throughout the text certain key terms have been employed with consistent technical definitions, generally those used by the United States Bureau of the Census, with the exception of the "Southwest." Definitions are found in the relevant Census Reports as part of the appended textual notes. Quotations included below are from the 1970 Census of Population, Final Report PC(1)-C1, "General Social and Economic Characteristics," pp. App. 1 - App. 8.*

Race. (See also Spanish Heritage) As used in census statistics the word race "does not denote clear-cut scientific definitions of biological stock. Rather it reflects self-identification by respondents." The "White," and also others who wrote in such answers as Mexican, Puerto Rican, or responses suggesting Indo-European stock.

The "Black" category used here corresponds to the Census definition of "Negro," which comprises persons who checked the standard response "Negro or Black," and also persons with write-in designations of Jamaican, Haitian, Afro-American, etc.

"Nonwhite" in this report includes the aggregate of all persons who were not classified as "White."

The category "Native American" corresponds to the definition given by the Bureau of the Census of "Indian" persons. It includes "persons who indicated their race as American Indian or who did not indicate a specific category but reported the name of an Indian tribe."**

RURAL RESIDENCE. (See also Urban Residence.) All persons living outside of areas classified as "urban" are considered to be "rural" residents. There is no substantive definition of rural, but the category includes those who live in recognized places and towns under 2,500 in population, as well as those who live in the open country.

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*More detailed definitions are found in "The 1970 Census User's Dictionary" in U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1970 Census User's Guide (Washington: Government Printing Office, 1970).

**See U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census of Population: 1970, Subject Reports, Final Report PC(2)-1F, American Indians, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., 1973.

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The "rural farm" population is that portion of the rural population which had its residence on a farm of 10 acres or more with sales of $50.00 or more in 1969, or on places under 10 acres when sales were $250.00 or more in 1969. The remainder of the rural population is designated as "nonfarm."

SOUTHWEST. The Census Bureau does not report its data for the "Southwest" as a region. The definition used here is operational, and refers to the region comprised by the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas.

SPANISH HERITAGE. In the five Southwestern states for which data are presented here, the Spanish heritage population includes (a) persons of "Spanish language." (That is, persons of Spanish "mother tongue" -- the language spoken in the home when respondent was a child -- and all other persons in families in which the head of household or the spouse of the head reported Spanish as his or her mother tongue), and (b) all persons who had Spanish surnames but who did not meet the Spanish language criterion. The United States total figures for the Spanish heritage category include persons from every state, but the definition of "Spanish heritage" varies: (1) in the Southwest (5 states) it is defined as stated above; (2) in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania the Spanish heritage group consists of persons of Puerto Rican birth or parentage instead of either Spanish language or Spanish surname; while (3) in the other 42 states and the District of Columbia the Spanish heritage group includes only the persons of "Spanish language."

URBAN RESIDENCE. (See also Rural Residence.) The basic division of population into rural and urban residence categories is accomplished by defining the urban zones. In the 1970 census "the urban population comprises all persons living in urbanized areas and in places of 2,500 inhabitants or more outside urbanized areas. More specifically, the urban population consists of all persons living in (a) places of 2,500 inhabitants or more incorporated as cities, villages, boroughs (except Alaska), and town (except in the New England States, New York, and Wisconsin), but excluding those persons living in the rural portion of extended cities; (b) unincorporated places of 2,500 inhabitants or more; and (c) other territory, incorporated or unincorporated, included in urbanized areas. The population not classified as urban constitutes the rural population."